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UNCLAS A COPY HAS BEEN HANDED ME OF A MEMORANDUM FROM C. L. DUNHAM, DIRECTOR, D2M, TO'REEVES, MGR., MVOO DATED 3/31/67, SYMBOL BMPC:JCW, SUBJ: "FY 1967 FINANCIAL PLAN -- BIOLOGY AND MEDICINE PROGRAM." THE MEMORANDUM IS QUOTED BELOW FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

"THE DIVISION OF BIOLOGY AND NEDECINE HAS APPROVED PLANS FOR A SPECIAL SURVEY OF THE BIKENI ATOLL DUPING THE BONTHS OF APRIL AND MAY, 1967. THIS SURVEY WILL INVOLVE PARTICIPANTS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF MASHERETON, THE U.S. MAYAL RADIOLOGICAL DEFENSE LABORATORY, AND THE HEALTH AND SAFETY LABORATORY. NO PROVISION FOR LOGISTICAL SUPPORT FOR THIS STUDY WAS MADE IN THE INITIAL FINANCIAL PLAN FOR THE HEVADA OPERATIONS OFFICE, AND IT IS OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT PURDS CURRENTLY AVAILABLE ARE REQUIRED FOR THE SUPPORT OF RESIARCH PROGRAMS AT THE ENTWETOK MARINE BIOLOGY LABORATORY AND THE MEDITAL SURVEY UNDER DR. ROBERT COMARD

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OF BROOKHAVEN NATIONAL LABORATORY. ACCORDINGLY, AN INCREASE OF \$16,000 IN BUDGET ACTIVITY OF OF OR HAS BEEN APPROVED AND WILL BE REFLECTED IN A FINANCIAL PLAN CHANGES. YOUR ASSISTANCE THROUGH THE HONOLULU AREA OFFICE IN MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR THESE SURVEYS WILL BE APPRECIATED. PAR

"AN INCREASE OF \$23,000 WILL ALSO BE PROVIDED IN THE NEXT FINANCIAL PLAN CHANGE FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH OPERATION HENRE. YOUR OFFICE HAS ALREADY BEEN ADVISED OF ADDITIONAL SUPPORT BY OTHER AGENCIES COOPERATING IN THIS PROJECT."END

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